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THE DEMOCRATIC ENQUIRER

Has the largest circulation of any paper
in Vinton County. Advertisers and
others will please make a note of this.

The Nashville Gazette nominates
for President, George H. Pendleton;
for Vice President, John Quincy
Adams.

Democrats who take city papers
and do not patronize their county
papers lose an incalculable amount in
the course of a year in the way of
county news. Subscribe for your
county paper.

SOME of the "loyalists" look bad
since the late elections. We advise
them not to look so bad and so fright-
ened when they meet a Copperhead,
because no Copperhead will be mean
enough to "hang them," "shoot
them," "give them hell," "draft them,"
"hold them over hell till they squall
like a cat," "burn them," "confiscate
their property," "mob them," "tear
off their buttoned pants," or any
thing else that is wrong! Look up,
Republicans, you shall not be hurt!

It is rumored among prominent
Democratic politicians that a prelimi-
nary conference will shortly be held
in New York for the purpose of con-
sidering the subject of a candidate for
the next Presidency.

In response to its nomination, Gov-
ernor HORATIO SEYMOUR has written
to the Democratic Union, of Utica, N. Y.,
that he will not be a candidate for
the Presidency before the next Nation-
al Democratic Convention.

The Vinton Record advocates two
currencies—gold for bondholders and
aristocrats, and ragged paper for poor
men and crippled soldiers. The
Record is "loyal," of course.

The New York Herald says that
"the taxes are only a thousand mil-
lions a year for the whole country." One
thousand millions a year paid in
taxes by the people of the United
States! Three hundred dollars for
each man, woman and child, white
black, and copper colored in the
whole Republic. What think you?

The Vinton Record is in favor of
taxing all working men heavily so as
to enrich bondholders, aristocrats, New
England manufacturers, &c. There
will be a Congress to elect next year,
and we hope all the Record's pets who
come before the people will be defeated.

CLEVELAND PLAIN DEALER.—In an-
other part of this paper will be found
the prospectus of this standard Dem-
ocratic paper. It is a first-class paper
—one of the best printed in the coun-
try—and we wish it all manner of suc-
cess. It should be read by every
voter. Now is the time to read good
Democratic papers. Try the Plain
Dealer.

Subscriptions received at, and for-
warded from, this office for the Plain
Dealer.

We have too many lazy Republi-
cans in our midst.—Vinton Record,
Nov. 21, 1867.

What do the Republicans of Vinton
county think of that? Those Republi-
cans who went to the polls on the
8th of October and voted against Ne-
gro Suffrage, unequal taxation, gold
for bondholders, ragged paper for
poor men, &c., we presume, are very
likely numbered by the Record among
the "lazy Republicans."

Pens, Pencils, Erasers, Paper Knives,
Rules, &c., &c., at Strong's.

The Record is in favor of taxing
white men \$20,000,000 to keep a negro
bureau, to feed, clothe and "educate"
lazy negroes.

THURSDAY last was generally ob-
served as a day of Thanksgiving,
Prayer, and very little fasting. Most
of the business houses were closed dur-
ing the day. We have not heard of
any house selling any thing "on the
sly" at the back door, as they do in
some "fast towns" we have been in.

ANY of our Democratic friends
wishing a sound and reliable Dem-
ocratic journal, we would advise them
to send for the Ohio Statesman. A
better paper is not to be found in this
large continent. See prospectus in
another column for terms, particulars,
&c.

A GOOD AND CHEAP PAPER FOR EV-
ERY FAMILY.—We have received the
American Agriculturist for December,
and this number closes the Twenty-
sixth volume of that paper. We are
sure that those who have taken it the
last year must feel that they have re-
ceived a large return for the money
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Youth is prepared with special care,
to furnish not only amusement, but
also to inculcate knowledge and sound
moral principles.

Circulation.—TERMS.—The circula-
tion of the American Agriculturist
(about 150,000) is so large that it can
be furnished at the low price of \$1.50
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said Sancho Panza. Still more blessed is
the man who invented Barrett's Vegetable
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Will's Mammoth Dry Goods
Establishment early the other
morning and were astonished to
see the House crowded with
customers and half-a-dozen
clerks selling them goods at
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Company was filed November 29th in
the office of the Secretary of State.
The Incorporators are James Farmer,
Wm. Mathers, Samuel W. Orr, John
McDonald, David Clark, Isaiah Bur-
son, Andrew V. Ryder, James Atkins,
Thomas Green and John A. Lindsay.
The capital stock is one million dol-
lars. The names of the termini of
said road are New Lisbon, Columbiana
county, and Gallipolis, Gallia county.
Said road shall pass through Colum-
biana, Jefferson, Carroll, Harrison,
Tuscarawas, Guernsey, Muskingum,
Noble, Morgan, Perry, Athens, Vinton,
Meigs and Gallia.—Ohio Statesman.

That is a movement that we had
not heard of. We suppose the road
will use the track of the Marietta &
Cincinnati Railroad from Athens to
Hamden.

THE PUBLIC DEBT.—The public
debt on the first of this month, ac-
cording to a report from the Treasury
Department, was \$2,526,502,948.02.—
But as there was then \$111,540,317.
35 in coin, and \$32,458,080.67 in cur-
rency in the Treasury, the real debt is
\$2,471,504,450.

By comparing this statement with
that issued in October last, it appears
that the debt bearing coin interest has
increased \$42,914,850. The debt bear-
ing currency interest has decreased
\$34,306,050. The matured debt not
presented for payment has increased
\$16,232. The debt bearing no interest
has decreased \$3,511,699.98; making a decrease in the total debt of
\$4,886,667.98, and the decrease of the
debt less cash in the Treasury, \$4,772,
996.76.

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cery. Groceries of all kinds are
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be without them. One of the
finest assortments of these com-
fortable adornments to be found
in town is at J. K. Will's. Let
the ladies call at once and see
for themselves.

WHITE WASHINGTON.—Mr. Homer C.
Jones, aspirant to represent the peo-
ple of the 8th Senatorial district in
the Ohio Senate, has been looking
after the pedigree of some of his
kinky headed constituents and trying
his skill in white washing a negro in
to a white man. Mr. Jones should
know that negroes are not voters in
Ohio, and that no "loyal" process of
white washing can change the skin of
an Ethiopian and make of him a white
American citizen.—Gallipolis Dispatch.

NEW PAPER.—We have received the
2d and 3d numbers of a new paper,
entitled the Ravenswood Press, printed
by L. A. Lyon & Co., at Ravenswood,
West Va. It presents a neat appear-
ance. We wish it success.

PASSING up the street the
other morning we met two
country friends who had just
left J. K. Will's Dry Goods
House, and were in perfect ecsta-
cy over the splendid purchases
made. They appeared to be so
well pleased with the splendid
Boots they had purchased there.
They requested us to inform our
readers that GEORGE B. WILL,
the Chief Salesman of J. K.
WILL'S House, gave his cus-
tomers better fits and sold boots
cheaper than any body else in
town. It would prove BOOT-
LESS for us to say more.

THE WEATHER.—For four or five
days past "November's chill and surly
blasts" drove Indian Summer from
our midst. On Sunday evening the
weather so moderated as to admit of
quite a decent little snow-storm, which
continued until about 9 o'clock on
Monday morning, when the storm
ceased and the snow began to melt
away.

DRY GOODS MARKET.—New
York Nov. 29.—Dry Goods are
rather inactive, yet steady for
most kinds. Staple fabrics of
cotton print cloths are firm at
63¢ for standard makes.

Prints steady and in moder-
ate request at 12½ for all regular
makes, and 13½ for favorite
brands.

New York, Nov. 30.—Prices
are steady.

As goods are generally very
low, we have no particular
change to observe.

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goods are very low in the New
York Market. The great de-
cline in prices in the Eastern
market accounts for the low
prices at which goods are being
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